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PETITION OF NORTHERN INDIANA)		_
PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY FOR)		'FEB 2 8 2003
APPROVAL OF ANNUAL DEMAND,)		
TAKE-OR-PAY, TRANSITION AND)	CAUSE NO. 41338-GCA 4	PEGULA POPA UTILITY
STORAGE AND TRANSMISSION)		REGULATORY COMMISSION
COSTS TO BE APPLICABLE IN)	March 2003 Commodity Filing	
THE TWELVE-MONTH PERIOD,)		
BEGINNING NOVEMBER 1, 2002)		

You are hereby notified that on this date, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

On February 26, 2003, NIPSCO filed its March 2003 Commodity Filing. On February 27, 2003, the Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor ("Public") filed its Objection to NIPSCO's March 2003 Commodity Filing. Said filings are incorporated herein by reference.

The presiding officers, being duly advised in the premises, now find that NIPSCO should not institute its proposed commodity charge for March 2003 at this time. Further an attorneys' conference should be convened on Monday, March 3, 2003 at 2:00 P.M. in room E306 of the Commission's offices. The parties should be prepared to argue their respective positions and to have someone present to answer substantive questions.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ludith G. Ripley, Commissione

Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge

Date

Nancy E. Manley, Secretary to the Commission